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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Original) A support stand for a presentation appliance, comprising:

a plurality of vertical poles that support a presentation board of the presentation appliance;

a boom arm that retains a projector of the presentation appliance, wherein a proximal end of the boom arm is in communication with the vertical poles and a distal end of the boom arm is adapted to support the projector;

a base associated with each vertical pole, wherein the base is adapted to balance and counteract a moment of the projector retained on the boom arm; and

a weight supported by the boom arm on a side of the vertical poles opposite the projector, the weight being adapted, in conjunction with the base, to counteract a moment of the projector.

- 2. (Original) A support stand apparatus for a projector and screen, comprising:
 - a first set of upright members in communication with a screen;
- a second set of upright members in communication with a projector, wherein the projector is located above and in front of the screen; and
 - a base connecting the first and the second set of upright members.
- 3. (Original) The apparatus of claim 2, further comprising a boom arm movably attached to the second set of upright members, wherein one end of the boom arm supports the projector.
- 4. (Original) The apparatus of claim 3, wherein the boom arm also supports a weight, wherein the weight is positioned to counterbalance the projector about the second set of upright members.

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5. (Original) The apparatus of claim 3, wherein the boom arm also supports a weight, the weight acting to minimize vibration of the projector, and thereby to a projected display, caused by energy translated through the second set of upright members.

- 6. (Original) The apparatus of claim 3, wherein the weight is attached to the boom arm by a flexible, elastic, or spring-loaded mechanism to absorb energy translated through the second set of upright members.
- 7. (Original) The apparatus of claim 2, further comprising a dampening device positioned between the first and the second set of upright members to absorb energy transferred to the board, thereby minimizing vibration of the projector.
- 8. (Original) The apparatus of claim 2, further comprising a shelf positioned between and in communication with the first or the second set of upright members to accommodate a computer, printer or presentation devices.
- 9. (Original) The apparatus of claim 2, wherein a separate base member connects each of a respective first and second upright member.